Revenue (1948) Department.

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G.O. No. 1658

Dated 15-7-48

[Despatch Abstract.]

Excise - Hemp drugs - Ganja Shops - Lease 1948-1949 - Sales - Report - Recorded.

BOARD OF REVENUE (EXCISE) DEPARTMENT

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Subject:- Hemp drugs-Ganja shops - 1948-1949 Lease- Results of Sale - Report to Government - Submitted.

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R.No.6 Press.

Station, Triplicane, Madras-5. Dated, 25-6-1948.

From

Md. Munzoor Husain, Khan Sahib Bahadur, B.A.(Hons)
Assistant Secretary, Board of Revenue (Excise).

V.N. Kudva Esq., C.I.E., I.C.S.,
Member, Board of Revenue and Commissioner of Land Revenue,
Excise and Prohibition.

Resolution:-

The Board submits to the Government a statement showing the results of sale of ganja shops for the six months beginning with 1st April 1948 and ending with 30th September 1948 in the districts of the Province to which Prohibition has not been extended.

2/- One Hundred and Thirty three shops have been sold for the six months' lease of the current year for a sum of Rs. 4,93,848/- against 142 shops for Rs. 15,05,724/- (excluding the figures for prohibition districts) for the previous lease of 12 months, resulting in a decrease of Rs. 10,11,876/- in rentals. This decrease is generally ascribed to the currency of the lease being limited to 6 months only and to want of competition among bidders. The closure of shops in belt areas adjoining Prohibition districts also led to a decrease in rentals in some districts.

3/- Of the 133 shops sold for the current lease, 127 shops were sold subject to restriction of issues.

Sd/- Munzoor Hussain
Assistant Secretary.

To
The Secretary to the Government, Revenue Department.
(with a statement.)

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To
The Board of Revenue (Excise)

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Office Assistant,
Madras Record Office.

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Statement showing the results of sale of
GANJA SHOPS
in the several districts of the Province
for 1948-1949 as compared with those of
1947-1948.
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Districts.	1947-48		1948-49.		Variation.		Date you Sales.
	No. of shops	Annual Rentals	No. of shops.	Rentals for the half year	Increase	Decrease.	
Vizagapatam	37	234864	37	75690		159174	2-2-48 to 30-3-48.
E. Godavari	20	79992	20	23562		56430	2-2-48 to 30-3-48.
W. Godavari.	8	65220	8	24882		40338	25-2-48 to 13-4-48.
Kistna.	12	74292	9	23640		50652	7-2-48 to 25-3-48.
Madras.	8	393720	9	165300		228420	9-2-48.
Chingleput	10	108144	7	28200		79944	4-2-48 to 11-2-48
S. Arcot.	15	170496	13	50394		120102	4-2-48 to 1.3.48.
Ramnad.	17	183096	15	54120		128976	17-2-48 to 15-4-48.
Tinnevelly	15	195900	15	48060		147840	2-2-48 to 25-3-48.
Total.	*142	*1505724	133	493848	...	1011876	

*Excludes the figures for the second batch of 8 Prohibition districts.

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R. Thiagarajan 2.2.54
Office Assistant,
Madras Record Office

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